

Adjournment: The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 8:26 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL EXTREME RISK PROTECTION ORDER ACT OF 2021

Committee on Rules: Full Committee held a hearing on H.R. 2377, the “Federal Extreme Risk Protection Order Act of 2021”; and H.R. 7910, the “Protecting Our Kids Act”. The Committee granted, by record vote of 7–4, a rule providing for consideration of H.R. 2377, the “Federal Extreme Risk Protection Order Act of 2021”, and H.R. 7910, the “Protecting Our Kids Act”. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2377, the “Federal Extreme Risk Protection Order Act of 2021”, under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–46, modified by the amendment printed in the Rules Committee report, shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides for consideration of H.R. 7910, the “Protecting Our Kids Act”, under a closed rule. The rule provides two hours of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–48 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides that the Chair shall put the question on retaining each title of the bill, as amended, in the order specified by the Chair; provides that the yeas and nays be considered as ordered on each of the questions; and provides that the Chair shall then put the question on engrossment and third reading of the text comprising those portions of the bill retained. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule directs the Clerk, in the engrossment of H.R. 7910, to make technical and conforming changes in the event a portion of the bill is not retained. The rule provides that House Resolution 1151 and House Resolution 1152 are hereby adopted. The rule provides that House Resolution 188 is amended by striking “June 10, 2022”

each place it appears and inserting “June 17, 2022”. Testimony was heard from Chairman Nadler and Representative Massie.

CYBERSECURITY AND RISK MANAGEMENT AT VA: ADDRESSING ONGOING CHALLENGES AND MOVING FORWARD

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs: Subcommittee on Technology Modernization held a hearing entitled “Cybersecurity and Risk Management at VA: Addressing Ongoing Challenges and Moving Forward”. Testimony was heard from Senator Rosen; Kurt Delbene, Assistant Secretary for Information and Technology and Chief Information Officer, Department of Veterans Affairs; and Michael Bowman, Director, Information Technology and Security Audits Division, Office of Inspector General, Department of Veterans Affairs.

Joint Meetings

EUROPEAN ENERGY SECURITY

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: Commission concluded a hearing to examine European energy security post-Russia, after receiving testimony from Yuriy Vitrenko, Naftogaz Ukraine; Constanze Stelzenmuller, Brookings Institution; and Benjamin Schmitt, Harvard University.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D590)

H.R. 4426, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to ensure that the needs of children are considered in homeland security planning. Signed on June 6, 2022. (Public Law 117–130)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 2022

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: business meeting to consider the nominations of Michael S. Barr, of Michigan, to be a Member, and to be Vice Chairman for Supervision of the Board of Governors, and Jaime E. Lizarraga, of Virginia, and Mark Toshiro Uyeda, of California, both to be a Member, all of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 2:30 p.m., SD–538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Robin Meredith Cohn Hutcheson, of Utah, to be Administrator of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, Michael Cottman Morgan, of Wisconsin, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and Sean Burton, of California, to be a Member of the Board

of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Annie Caputo, of Virginia, and Bradley R. Crowell, of Nevada, both to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, 10 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the path forward on U.S.-Syria policy, focusing on strategy and accountability, 10 a.m., SD-419/VTC.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Carlton W. Reeves, of Mississippi, to be a Member, and to be Chair, and Laura E. Mate, of Iowa, Claire McCusker Murray, of Maryland, Luis Felipe Restrepo, of Pennsylvania, Claria Horn Boom, of Kentucky, John Gleeson, of New York, and Candice C. Wong, of the District of Columbia, each to be a Member, all of the United States Sentencing Commission, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: to hold hearings to examine the small business workforce challenge, focusing on causes, impacts, and solutions, 2:30 p.m., SR-428A.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations, hearing entitled “A 2022 Review of the Farm Bill: Stakeholder Perspectives on SNAP”, 10:15 a.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, budget hearing on the Arts and Humanities, 9:30 a.m., Zoom.

Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs, budget hearing on the United Nations, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Cyber, Innovative Technologies, and Information Systems, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 12 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Seapower and Projection Forces, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on Military Personnel, markup on H.R. 7900, the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023”, 3:30 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Subcommittee on Asia, the Pacific, Central Asia, and Nonproliferation, hearing enti-

tled “Resourcing U.S. Priorities in the Indo-Pacific FY23 Budget Hearing”, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Subcommittee on International Development, International Organizations, and Global Corporate Social Impact, hearing entitled “The FY23 Budget Request: United Nations and International Organizations”, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Natural Resources, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 263, the “Big Cat Public Safety Act”; H.R. 3081, to make certain irrigation districts eligible for Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program pumping power, and for other purposes; H.R. 5444, the “Truth and Healing Commission on Indian Boarding School Policies Act”; H.R. 6063, to provide for the equitable settlement of certain Indian land disputes regarding land in Illinois, and for other purposes; H.R. 6181, the “Samish Indian Nation Land Reaffirmation Act”; H.R. 6337, the “Biking on Long-Distance Trails Act”; H.R. 6707, the “Advancing Equality for Wabanaki Nations Act”; H.R. 6734, the “Keep America’s Refuges Operational Act of 2022”; H.R. 7002, the “Gateway Solidarity Act”; H.R. 7025, the “Advancing Human Rights-Centered International Conservation Act of 2022”; H.R. 7075, the “Ukrainian Independence Park Act of 2022”; H.R. 7612, the “Desalination Research Advancement Act”; S. 314, the “Klamath Tribe Judgment Fund Repeal Act”; S. 559, to amend the Grand Ronde Reservation Act, and for other purposes; and S. 789, the “RESPECT Act”, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Urgent Need to Address the Gun Violence Epidemic”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Detecting and Quantifying Methane Emissions from the Oil and Gas Sector”, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Small Business, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Military to Main Street: Serving Veteran Entrepreneurship”, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Subcommittee on Highways and Transit, hearing entitled “Addressing the Roadway Safety Crisis: Building Safer Roads for All”, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Ways and Means, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The President’s Proposed Fiscal Year 2023 Budget with Treasury Secretary Janet Yellen”, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth and Webex.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Compartmented Posture Hearing”, 10 a.m., HVC-304.

Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Pathways to Congressional Service”, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3 through May 31, 2022

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session	79	71	..
Time in session	478 hrs., 41'	275 hrs., 25'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	2,767	5,229	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	E569	..
Public bills enacted into law	22	26	48
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference	1	1	..
Bills through conference .....	..	..	..
Measures passed, total	228	214	442
Senate bills	52	36	..
House bills	37	154	..
Senate joint resolutions	4	..	..
House joint resolutions	1	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	5	2	..
House concurrent resolutions	3	4	..
Simple resolutions	126	37	..
Measures reported, total	*102	115	217
Senate bills	71	..	..
House bills	16	99	..
Senate joint resolutions	1	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	1	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
Simple resolutions	13	16	..
Special reports	3	3	..
Conference reports .....	..	..	..
Measures pending on calendar	242	27	..
Measures introduced, total	1,119	1,915	3,034
Bills	911	1,576	..
Joint resolutions	15	20	..
Concurrent resolutions	16	28	..
Simple resolutions	177	291	..
Quorum calls .....	..	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes	212	231	..
Recorded votes .....	..	..	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Vetoed overridden .....	..	..	..

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3 through May 31, 2022

Civilian nominees, totaling 504 (including 181 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	210
Unconfirmed	273
Withdrawn	21
Returned to White House	0
Other Civilian nominees, totaling 906 (including 291 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	677
Unconfirmed	229
Air Force nominees, totaling 4,075 (including 5 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,964
Unconfirmed	111
Army nominees, totaling 4,869 (including 1,992 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	3,750
Unconfirmed	1,119
Navy nominees, totaling 634 (including 1 nominee carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	179
Unconfirmed	455
Marine Corps nominees, totaling 422 (including 321 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	417
Unconfirmed	5
Space Force nominees, totaling 392 (including 2 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	392

Summary

Total nominees carried over from the First Session	2,793
Total nominees received this Session	9,009
Total confirmed	9,589
Total unconfirmed	2,192
Total withdrawn	21
Total returned to the White House	0

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 65 written reports have been filed in the Senate, 118 reports have been filed in the House.